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Cuttings from American Papers.

THE WAR SPIRIT AT THE SOUTH.  
All the chivalry of the South is in motion. The raising of cotton and rice does not enter into the calculations of the people of the Confederate States. They "take no thought of what they shall eat or drink, or wherewithal they shall be clothed," but rush impetuously to war, firm in the belief that they are right. I do not question their sincerity, nor do I question their bravery. The American soldier, wherever you find them, North or South is full of pluck. He will fight till every vestige of hope is gone, before yielding. There fore this war has no danger in the face of it than any other we have had. If it should continue long, the opinion among many is that neither side will yield. From the speeches of Southern men it will appear that the people of the Confederate States have resolved to die fighting, rather than be subjugated by the North. Every plantation is ringing with the notes of war, and troops are daily mustering in the large towns and offering their service to President Davis.

THE WAR SPIRIT AT THE NORTH.  
There is scarcely a town or a city in the free States that has not been aroused by the call to arms. Every day the telegraph brings us news of some town in Indiana, Illinois, or New York that has raised a volunteer company, with Col. John Jones, Brown or Smith, as the case may be, at the head of it, and that the town has voted to support the families of the soldiers during their absence. Merchants and bankers have come forward and staked their entire fortunes in the cause. Wm. B. Astor not only agreed to loan the Government \$84,000,000 yesterday in New York, but he actually offered to give the Government \$1,000,000 besides. Cornelius Vanderbilt, the great ocean steamer man, subscribed a handsome sum to carry on the war, but his liberality and patriotism did not stop there. He now offers to place at the disposal of the Government a whole fleet of ocean steamers, equipped and manned, during the war. The women of the North are also as active in the matter as their husbands and sons. They are daily contributing clothes for the soldiers, and in one town in New York, last week, a company of ladies offered their services to the Colonel of a regiment to act as nurses to the sick and wounded. Such a spirit is truly worthy of the women of '73.

The bear flag was raised in the town of El Monte, Cal., fourteen miles from this city, on Sunday the 6th inst., by a party of forty mounted men.

A young girl of 18 years, named Ennis, residing in Champaign county, Ohio, very foolishly went to a ball one night against her mother's wishes. Being reproved on her return, with still greater folly she went to a stable and hung herself.

With reference to privateering for the destruction of Northern commerce, the N. O. Crescent says: With a tolerably accurate knowledge of what is going on, and deliberately weighing all the circumstances, we conclude that at the lowest estimate, 750 swift sailing, staunch, substantial vessels, fully equipped, carrying on an average four mighty guns each, can be put afloat in four months to wage war upon Northern commerce, blockade Northern ports, cripple Northern blockades, and destroy Northern property. We are sure that 200 can be obtained in a very few days—and they will come from the especial home of mock philanthropy and false religion, in Yankee-land.

Mr. Winans, the Baltimore millionaire, has advanced \$500,000 to the Confederate authorities, \$700,000 to the State of Maryland, and he has his whole force of workmen engaged in the manufacture of pikes, which may be designed for service in the streets of Baltimore.

A deputation of twenty Indians had arrived at Washington to tender 300 warriors of the Sioux and Chippewa Indians to the President.

Senator Mason, of Virginia, is in Philadelphia. He says that he came to settle the estate of his relations; but it is thought that he is acting the part of a spy, and a secret commission is watching him.

A letter from the wife of Bishop Peck, of Louisiana, says the house was burned over her head on the night of April 12th, by negroes; also the residence of Bishop Elliott.

Several gentlemen arrived from the South report that the people are arming everywhere. A man was hung in North Carolina, and another imprisoned, for Union sentiments.

Rogers and Wright, the U. S. officers left at Norfolk, are in prison.

The American flag was raised from the Catholic Cathedral in Cincinnati, at the corner of Eight and Plum streets, on Saturday.

The Catholic Bishop of Philadelphia on Thursday raised the United States flag on the Cathedral in Logan Square, at the height of 230 feet from the ground.

Gov. Hick's message on the 27th to the Maryland Legislature, briefly details the startling events which induced him to call them together. He advises Maryland to preserve a neutrality between the North and South, and act as a mediator. The Senate of Maryland adopted an address to the people of the State, stating that the Legislature will not pass an Act of Secession; but if the people desire, it will give them an opportunity of declaring for themselves their future destiny. The House has not acted thereon, but has appointed a Committee to report an Act for calling a Convention.

The National Intelligencer denies the report that Mr. Lincoln has selected it as his organ.

The Presidential liveries are handsome mulberry colored cloth overcoats and silver-lace hat-bands. Iron freight cars are coming into use on the New York Central Railroad. The walls and roof are made of boiler plates riveted together, and the frame and string pieces of wrought iron; the floor alone is of wood.

Col. W. W. Seaton, editor of the National Intelligencer, has been appointed Postmaster at Washington City.

The New Orleans Delta advises the coinage of cents by the Confederate States Government, with the head of Jefferson Davis on them.

Mrs. Lincoln is very fond of gardening, it is said, and the grounds about the executive mansion are being tastefully arranged by her orders.

A Texas paper says that Gov. Houston is worth property valued at \$1,000,000. His return to the assessor shows about \$84,000.

Petoubum (Peep of Day) is the name of a newspaper in the Chippewa language, just started at Sarina by the Rev. Thomas Hurlburt.

Mrs. Caroline M. King, of New York, recently killed herself by taking corrosive sublimate, because she found a pair of ladies' gloves in her husband's pocket.

"Top Boots," a noted dun of Philadelphia, who derived his name from his pedal coverings, died recently at the age of 89. He was one of the most persistent collectors that ever haunted a delinquent debtor.

Application has been made by a firm in New York, for a patent for paper neckties; printed in imitation of silk and gingham, with great exactness and beauty. This firm sold last season, of one single style of clock neckties, seventeen thousand dozen.

General Cameron, Secretary of War, and Judge Grier of the U. S. Supreme Court, who administered to him his oath of office, were boys together in Northumberland county, Pennsylvania. The former started in life as a printer, and the latter as a school teacher.

Augustus Paulk shot his own brother dead with a rifle, while the latter was partaking of his morning corn cake in the family mansion at Union Springs, Ala. The brothers Paulk were originally six in number—one only now remains, five having been killed in battles.

From Fort Pickens, we have no information later than the 17th of April. The Southern telegraph is as much shut up as that from Washington. Rumors of an assault on that fortress are positively contradicted, and are probably not true.

Cuttings from European Papers.  
The Pontifical debt is four hundred and thirty millions of francs.

A buxom dame lately sued in a London Court for divorce on the ground that her husband was objectionable because he wore a silver nose.

Rome is boiling over with the discontent of its inhabitants. The people want Victor Emanuel, but all they can do for the present is to shout for him.

At six o'clock, P. M., Ash Wednesday, a remarkable darkness came over Northfleet, and lasted for an hour. Men lost their way, and the cattle behaved as if frantic with fear.

The London Dispatch says there are more British Admirals than ships, more Generals than regiments, more captains of artillery and engineers than guns.

A fine idea is put forth in an English journal, that in our times "majorities should rule by argument, and that in all their strength they should pause, conciliate and defer to the ultimate judgment of the impartial world."

The governmental expenditures of Great Britain are £215,000, more than a million of dollars per day. The people consume seven hundred thousand dollars of food per day more than their own soil produces.

A report has been recently presented to the Paris Academy of Sciences on the deterioration of Egyptian wheat which has been going on during recent years. The causes are stated to be in the want of new seed, and the bad quality of the land selected for sowing wheat.

It having been officially announced that there is no charge made for visits to the Morgue or Paris dead-house, it was immediately noticed that much larger numbers of persons than usual attend there to make recognition of the bodies of the deceased. Their anxiety being without expense, the crowd is unusually great.

The marriage of the daughter of Mires with Prince Polignae was called a "diamond wedding"—one party contributing wealth and the other blood, and the wedding being a magnificent affair. It is now said that the large settlement made by Mires on his daughter and son-in-law Prince Polignae, was only of a transitory character, and will fail completely in consequence of the late discreditable events.

Mr. Bright says that there are a million of able-bodied laboring men who cultivate the soil of England and Wales, and their average wages (and it is much higher than in Ireland) is ten shillings sterling, equal to \$2 40 per week, or 40 cents a day, upon which to support themselves and their families.

A law has been introduced into Parliament in relation to the burial of dissenters. Unbaptized children are now frequently denied the right of sepulture in England in the parish church-yards. The Quakers and "hard-shell" Baptists suffer in consequence; indeed, every non-conformist may by the canon law be denied a Christian burial.

The London Magazine states that John Chessey, of that city, has succeeded in turning and boring glass, and has thus rendered it more applicable to a great variety of useful purposes. He makes glass cylinders perfectly round and smooth; also very strong glass pipes as substitutes for metal in conveying acids and alkalis, and his cylinders are eminently adapted for the barrels of pumps. Glass tubes of moderate bore are quite common, but they are never made with a uniform size of bore.

The Pope's Allocution.  
Although it was reported at Rome that the Pope's allocution in the Consistory, of March 18th, was (with unprecedented dispatch) printed and distributed to the cardinals on the same evening, the text was not immediately made known at Paris. The following is however, a full analysis:

His Holiness begins by declaring that a conflict is going on between error and truth, between light and darkness, between vice and virtue. He places in juxtaposition those who extol and defend the principles of modern civilization and those who hold fast to the principles of the Catholic Religion. The first would make papacy bend to what is called modern progress and liberalism; while the others, on the contrary, desire to see it remain firm, preserving intact, the principles of eternal justice and religion as the only remedy for the many evils which now afflict society—its only salvation. His Holiness would have confidence in the partisans of modern civilization if their acts were based upon justice and the true principles of right and morality. But as these apostles of modern civilization pretend to love and respect the Catholic religion, the Pope, to prove their insincerity, refers to the many opinions and principles hostile to the church which they maintain; to the concordate which they have abolished, as, for instance, at Naples; to the protection granted in Italy, a country eminently Catholic, to all sorts of religions; to the employment of infidels in high offices; to the persecution and abolition of religious Orders; to the suppression of Catholic schools, the

confiscation of church property, and the banishment of cardinals, bishops and priests. He reproached the apostles of this pretended civilization with granting large subsidies to anti-Catholic institutions, and with persecuting the Catholic press, while they leave all enemies of the church absolutely free to write whatever they please. They encourage libertinism, and wink at violence, but are severe towards the newspapers that defend religion and justice.

His Holiness proceeds to affirm that the Holy See has ever defended true civilization, as history will testify, but that the Pope cannot associate himself with those who fight against the church and destroy the faith. He declares that the revolution prepared by those who vaunt themselves as the disciples of civilization tends to destroy that great institution, which for eighteen centuries has been the glory of Italy, and that not because it was incompatible with reforms, but with the sole intent of making war upon the church. The Pope affirms that when the legitimate princess of Italy granted free institutions, he made such concessions as he judged useful, and for the happiness of his people; but these concessions served only to give additional strength to the enemies of the papacy, who went so far as to murder his minister on the steps of the Parliament House. He adds that he lately promised to grant reforms justly recommended by the Catholic Powers, but that he had repudiated the demands and insinuations that he should renounce a part of the province, the dominion of which had been usurped for him.

The authors of this usurpation called not for reforms, but for an absolute cession of the temporal sovereignty. They were not content with destroying the civil principality of the Popes in Italy, they wanted to destroy the church. How could it be expected that the Pope could be reconciled with them? It was impossible for him to renounce the principles of eternal justice and the protection of the church. He could not (*non possumus*) consent to a usurpation of the States of the Holy See.

The Pope declares, however, that he is always ready to forgive his enemies and to pray to God to enlighten them. He concludes by exhorting the cardinals to prepare to suffer all the calamities which it may please God to allow them to be afflicted with, and reminds them that the entire episcopacy of the Catholic world rallies round the Holy See.

This allocution is far less conciliatory than the telegraph represented. It was doubtful at first, whether the French Government would permit it to circulate in France; but latterly the journals received permission to publish it.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.—Extraordinary hot weather in the summer months is often productive of unpleasant consequences to many. The liver, the stomach, and bowels, in such cases, are, more or less, seriously affected, so that most persons are, at certain seasons, liable to disorders which rage in warm weather. They cannot have a better safeguard or a more powerful curative than Holloway's justly celebrated Pills. They cool and purify the blood, and render the system less liable to any sort of irregularity; or, when disease is present, they abate its force, and at last destroy it altogether. Dysentery, biliousness, acidity of the stomach, sick headache, and debility, speedily disappear before a course of this inestimable medicine.

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NOTICE.  
To Carpenters and Builders.  
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL Friday the 31st inst. for the general Architects' work required in the erection and entire completion of a Cottage Villa near Victoria.  
The Drawings and Specification may be seen at the office of the undersigned on and after Wednesday the 22nd inst.  
The lowest tender will be accepted if otherwise satisfactory.

WRIGHT & SANDERS,  
Architects,  
Corner of Yates and Langley Sts.

Notice to Carpenters and Builders  
SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL Monday, the 27th inst., for the Carpenter's and Joiner's work, Brick work, and Plastering, required in the erection of a suburban dwelling near Victoria. The Drawings and Specifications may be seen at the Office of the undersigned.  
The lowest tender will be accepted if otherwise satisfactory.

WRIGHT & SANDERS,  
Architects,  
Cor. Yates and Langley streets.

Co-Partnership Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Benedict Reinhart, Simon Reinhart, and Moris Mayer, under the style and firm of Reinhart, Mayer & Co., Victoria, and Mayer, Reinhart & Co., New Westminster, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. Parties indebted to the late firm will please take notice and make immediate payment. Also, all parties having claims against the late firm will present the same to Reinhart Bros., Victoria, for payment.

BENEDICT REINHART,  
SIMON REINHART,  
MORIS MAYER.

By S. ELSASSER,  
Victoria, May 13, 1861.

NOTICE.  
ALL PARTIES INDEBTED BY NOTES of hand now due, or hereafter to become due, to the late firm of REINHART, MAYER & Co., Victoria, and to MAYER, REINHART & Co., New Westminster, are hereby notified that the same are in the possession of Moris Mayer, of the late firm above mentioned, who hereby appoints S. Elsasser his legal agent for collecting and cancelling the same.

MORIS MAYER,  
my14 1m

PUBLIC NOTICE.  
AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Road Commissioners held at the Board's Office on Saturday, May 11th, 1861, it was Resolved, That a copy of the Assessment Lists be published at the following places:  
Sheriff's Office, Victoria; Tolmie's Gate; Junction of Lake and Saanich roads; Thompson's; Skinner's, at Elk Lake; N. Saanich Road; Todd's bridge,  
By order of the Commissioners,  
R. W. PEARSE,  
Chairman.

NOTICE.

VICTORIA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED

Notice is hereby given that unless all calls, together with interest due, in respect of the shares held by the various shareholders in the Victoria Gas Company, Limited, are paid on or before the 15th inst., the said shares will be liable to forfeiture. Attention is also requested to the following section of the Act incorporating the Company: "Any Shareholder whose Shares have been forfeited shall notwithstanding be liable to pay to the Company all calls owing upon such Shares at the time of the forfeiture."  
By order of the Board of Directors,  
A. F. MAIN, Secretary.

Victoria, V. I., 13th May, 1861.

To Ship Builders.

TENDERS ARE REQUIRED FOR THE building of an A1 stern-wheel Steamboat, for Fraser River trade. She must be of the same model and carrying capacity as the late FORT YALE, 115 feet long, and 1 foot more beam.  
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# REFORM LEAGUE.

The undersigned propose to form a Reform League, for the purpose of endeavoring to obtain a code of such salutary laws as will conduce to the prosperity of the Colony. Their efforts will be particularly directed to the following objects, viz:

- A reform in the Land System, to induce emigration to the Colony.
  - A reform in the Judiciary and in the practice of the Courts.
  - A simple and inexpensive Registration of Deeds Act.
  - A clearly defined and liberal Naturalization Law.
  - A liberal Franchise Act.
  - A proper and impartial Registration of Voters Act.
  - The election of proper Representatives for the House of Assembly.
  - A liberal Incorporation Act for the Town of Victoria.
  - A just and equitable system of Taxation.
  - An Elective Council and consequent Responsible Government.
- In short, the League will endeavor to obtain a reform of all existing abuses and to procure for the inhabitants of the Colony such an amount of rational freedom as they have never enjoyed in it, but to which all British subjects are entitled, and which foreigners also ought to enjoy in a British Colony.
- Calm discussion, and unceasing agitation, such as have been employed in England so successfully in carrying out great popular measures, are the means proposed for the accomplishment of our object.

owing to the smallness of our police force, we very much fear that the burglars will escape scot free.

**THE CHARGE AGAINST BENJAMIN R. SPAIN.**—The charge against this man, of being an Indian whisky-seller, was heard yesterday in the Police Court. The officers making the arrest testified to catching the prisoner on the beach of the Indian Reserve with a canoe-load of whisky in his possession. The fact of his having been owner of the schooner Laurel at the time the Indians stripped her, was also proven. Mr. Ring for the defence called witnesses and claimed that accused was bound to San Juan with the alcohol, and was compelled to put in at the Indian Reserve owing to the high wind prevailing. The accused produced a coasting-license but had no clearance. The magistrate dismissed the charge, not deeming the evidence sufficiently strong to convict. The following letter from San Juan has been picked up and handed us for publication. The man whose name appears at the bottom is the person who was stabbed at the Humboldt street dance-house, over a year since, by Hawkhurst, who, for that offence, is now serving out a sentence of three years in the chain-gang. Spain, at the time of his arrest, was probably filling the order from his friend:

SAN JUAN, April 13, 1861.  
Friend Charley and ben I take the opportunity to write you I want you to try and send me forty gallons of alcohol if not try and send me twenty and two pounds of brown sugar if you send it consigned to barker and tell frank to go to that indian to come over here if he wanted any and try and send that canoe over. No more at present.  
SINGLETON KIMMEL.

Kimmel is understood to have taken up his residence near the American garrison, and it would not be amiss if the U. S. officers in future kept a sharp eye on him.

**WHY YOUR DOGS ARE POISONED.**—A great many persons have a peculiar penchant for sending their dogs to bite and snap at the heels of Indians as they pass through the streets. The Indians, of course, become enraged at such treatment, and a friend suggests to us that in revenge they may resort to giving the brutes meat containing a deadly vegetable poison, by which means the careers of many valuable animals have been cut short. Dog-keeping citizens should note this suggestion, and act accordingly.

**THE ROWDY TARS.**—The drunken sailors arrested on Wednesday night were up for examination yesterday in the Police Court. The one arrested for fighting at Wilcox's was remanded for one day. Another chap, for breaking windows, was fined 10s., half of which will go towards paying the damage done.

**SHOOTING AT A CHIEF.**—Cashnah, a Hiyah Indian, was in the Police Court dock yesterday morning on a charge of breaking the head of one of his comrades, and shooting at his chief the night before. He was remanded till Monday.

**A SPRINKLER.**—Who will start a sprinkling cart? On these warm days anything which will serve to lay the dust would prove a great blessing to the public and a source of profit to any enterprising person engaging in it.

The U. S. Revenue Cutter Jelf, Davis, arrived in our harbor yesterday, and anchored at Major Bay.

Mr. Thos. H. McCann has obtained the exclusive privilege of erecting a refreshment booth within the Jockey Club enclosure on Beacon Hill.

There were 43 prisoners in jail yesterday morning.

to the Cup subscribed for by several gentlemen in this town. Veritas, before taking upon himself to adopt so respectable a cognomen, should have made himself certain that his assertions were correct.

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See can remain at a low rate of interest.  
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—ALSO—  
Lot of Shrubbery and Rose Bushes of different  
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HAVING JUST OPENED AN EXTENSIVE LIME  
Depot on Humboldt street for Esquimalt Lime,  
now supply the inhabitants of British Colum-  
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to be had in the market. All orders promptly  
filled. Good wharf accommodations at the  
Esquimalt.  
S. In the absence of Mr. Richards, Mr. Martin  
thorised to act for him. my20 1m

## FOR SALE LOW,

**WHEAT, SUGAR, BARLEY, OATS, HAY**  
N Bran, Middlings, in lots to suit purchasers,  
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S. ANDERSON  
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Yates street.  
offers for sale, cheap.

## HARDWARE,

## Agricultural Implements

Bar Iron, Steel & Iron-Mongery,  
STOVE & TINWARE

of every description.  
Glass and Crockery Ware, Wood and Willow Ware  
&c. &c. my15

## REMOVAL.

**C. VEREYDHEN,**

Contractor and Builder,

Has removed his Office to the Brick Building  
Corner of Douglas and Fort streets, upstairs.

**AND IS PREPARED TO CONTRACT**  
for or superintend the erection of Brick or  
Frame Buildings of any kind or style.

Parties who intend to build will do well to call  
and plans will be shown for brick stores or dwellings  
which can be erected at a trifling cost over that of a  
wooden building.

Plans and drawings of every style and specifica-  
tions made at the shortest notice. my27 1m

**Hosletter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters.**—A specific for dyspepsia, diarrhoea, dizziness,  
general debility, chills and fever, liver complaint,  
bilious remittent fevers, and the pains and weakness  
which creep upon us in old age. For these ailments  
we quickly invited a trial and a verdict. The  
trial has come off; the verdict has been rendered, and  
the Bitters are today the most popular remedy, for  
the time they have been in existence, in this or any  
other country. It lives and continues to thrive and  
increase in popularity with marvelous rapidity, simply  
because the world wants it, will have it, cannot  
do without it. The dyspeptic demands it as his only  
help, the victims of diarrhoea or dysentery believe in  
it, the bilious sufferer dare not let one bottle run  
out before he gets another. Both sexes, all ages, all  
classes, regard it as the most wonderful invigorant  
ever compounded. Hence the enormous demand.  
GEO. W. SNELL,  
512 and 514 (old No. 139) Washington street,  
ap11 1m1s opp. the Market, San Francisco

## Victoria Races.

**THE STEEN FOR THE ERECTION OF**  
three Refreshment Booths on Beacon Hill are  
proposed to be let by tender.

Persons wishing to hire the same are requested by  
the Stewards of the Jockey Club to communicate  
with the Honorary Secretary, by letter, on or before  
Monday, the 13th inst., stating the amount the  
tenderer is prepared to offer for the accommodation.  
One of the Booths is to be erected in the enclosure.  
The Booths are to be removed immediately after  
termination of races on the second day.

H. B. CAMPBELL,  
Hon'y Secretary.  
my9 1f

## UNDERTAKING.

**THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE**  
Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any  
order therefor, on the shortest notice and on the  
most reasonable terms.

## The Trade Supplied.

**R. LEWIS,**  
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FROM PARIS;  
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W. A. MOUAT,  
Master.  
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## BUTTER.

—100 kegs of first quality Irish But-  
ter, containing 35 lbs and 40 lbs each.  
For sale by  
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**St. Andrew's Society,**  
VICTORIA, V. I.

INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 3d, 1860.

**FOR THE RELIEF OF SCOTCHMEN**  
or their descendants who may be in distress, and  
to give counsel and assistance to immigrants on their  
arrival here. Applications for pecuniary aid or ad-  
vice to be made to the Managers.

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**TWO FIRST-RATE TWELVE-HORSE**  
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**STORAGE ON MODERATE TERMS,**  
in our Fireproof Stone Warehouse, which is free  
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**A FEW BOXES EXTRA ROOFING**  
Tin for sale at \$12 50.

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Best cased Sherry.

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**Tweed Suits! Dress Suits!**

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Just Received ex "St. Mark," from Liverpool, and  
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WM. MUIR,  
Langley street.

## Victoria Jockey Club.

**THE STEWARDS OF THE JOCKEY**  
Club have engaged the room in the COLONIAL  
Office Building, adjoining Mr. Pointner's Store, dur-  
ing the race week, for the accommodation of mem-  
bers. Strangers will be admitted on the introduc-  
tion of a member. The charge for strangers tickets  
for the week will be \$2 each.

The entries for the races will be posted in the room  
at 8 o'clock on the evening of the 21st.

The meeting for the election of members will be  
held on Monday the 20th, (advertised for 21st) at 2  
o'clock P. M. precisely.

The Stewards' Ordinary will be held on Friday, the  
24th, at the Colonial Restaurant. All persons de-  
sirous of dining are particularly requested to apply  
as early as possible for tickets, at the bar. No tickets  
will be issued after the evening of the 23d.

Price of tickets, including wine, \$5 00. Dinner on  
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## Real Estate Tax Act.

**THE COURT OF REVISION UNDER**  
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from 11 A. M. until 2 P. M., of parties appealing against  
their assessors' assessments, or who have received notice of  
their assessment being too low, in the Districts of  
Victoria, Esquimalt, Metchohn, Sooke, North Saan-  
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GREVILLE C. MATTHEW,  
Clerk of the Court.  
Victoria, V. I., May 20th, 1861. my21

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ON HAND AND FOR SALE BY

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## EX "REVENUE" FROM GLASGOW.

**20 1-4 CASES JAMES STEWART &**  
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316 cases, 1 doz each, Jas. Stewart & Co's supe-  
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50 cases Powder Starch from the well known  
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## HAMS AND BACON.

—20 cases of prime  
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The above are of superior quality, and  
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For sale by  
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**BLANKETS.**—White Blankets, 2½ and 3 polts  
Scarlet Blankets, do do  
Blue Blankets, do do

Now landing and for sale by  
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—50 cases  
Patent Preserved Dried Vegetables.

These vegetables, from their extreme  
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about 100 lbs only, containing about  
1200 rations.

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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Wednesday Morning, May 24, 1861.

ANOTHER BURGLARY.—Hardly a day passes but we are called upon to record one or more cases of burglary. Our town will soon become as notorious for such depredations as a large American or European city, unless something be done to put a stop to them. Jas. Bissett, Esq., is erecting a fine dwelling-house near Brockley's farm, in the southern outskirts of the city. A number of carpenters have been employed there for some time, and their custom has been to leave their tools on the premises every night. Yesterday morning, on repairing to the spot, they found that the house had been entered during the night and tools to the value of nearly \$300 stolen. The chest of one of the hands, named S. B. Abbott, containing a large number of valuable tools, was carried away. The drawers of the chest and such implements as might lead to the detection of the thieves were left behind. The perpetrators are supposed to be white men aided by Indians. The goods were doubtless carried to the water's edge and placed in a boat, from whence they must have been conveyed to the American side. The loss falls very heavily on the industrious mechanics who have been thus despoiled of their property, and a strenuous effort should be made to ferret out and break up the gang who have been engaged in many operations of a like nature within a short time back. Suspicion points strongly towards certain notorious characters who have resided here a long while without engaging in any useful employment; and the supposition is that they have employed a number of Indians to assist them in the prosecution of their nefarious undertaking. Owing to the smallness of our police force, we very much fear that the burglars will escape scot free.

THE CHARGE AGAINST BENJAMIN R. SPAIN.—The charge against this man, of being an Indian whisky-seller, was heard yesterday in the Police Court. The officers making the arrest testified to catching the prisoner on the beach of the Indian Reserve with a canoe-load of whisky in his possession. The fact of his having been owner of the schooner Laurel at the time the Indians stripped her, was also proven. Mr. Ring for the defence called witnesses and claimed that accused was bound to San Juan with the alcohol, and was compelled to put it at the Indian Reserve owing to the high wind prevailing. The accused produced a coasting-license but had no clearance. The magistrate dismissed the charge, not deeming the evidence sufficiently strong to convict. The following letter from San Juan has been picked up and handed us for publication. The man whose name appears at the bottom is the person who was stabbed at the Humboldt street dance-house, over a year since, by Hawkhurst, who, for that offence, is now serving out a sentence of three years in the chain-gang. Spain, at the time of his arrest, was probably filling the order from his friend:

SAN JUAN, April 13, 1861.  
Friend Charley and ben i take the opportunity to write you i want you to try and send me twenty gallons of alcohol if not try and send me twenty and two pounds of brown sugar if you send it consired to barker and tell frank to go to that indian to come over here if he wanted any and try and send that canoe over. No more at present.  
SINGLETON KIMMEL.

Kimmel is understood to have taken up his residence near the American garrison, and it would not be amiss if the U. S. officers in future kept a sharp eye on him.

WHY YOUR DOGS ARE POISONED.—A great many persons have a peculiar penchant for sending their dogs to bite and snap at the heels of Indians as they pass through the streets. The Indians, of course, become enraged at such treatment, and a friend suggests to us that in revenge they may resort to giving the brutes meat containing a deadly vegetable poison, by which means the careers of many valuable animals have been cut short. Dog-keeping citizens should note this suggestion, and act accordingly.

THE ROWDY TARS.—The drunken sailors arrested on Wednesday night were up for examination yesterday in the Police Court. The one arrested for fighting at Wilcox's was remanded for one day. Another chap, for breaking windows, was fined 10s., half of which will go towards paying the damage done.

SHOOTING AT A CHIEF.—Cashnah, a Hiy-dah Indian, was in the Police Court dock yesterday morning on a charge of breaking the head of one of his comrades, and shooting at his chief the night before. He was remanded till Monday.

A SPRINKLER.—Who will start a sprinkling cart? On these warm days anything which will serve to lay the dust would prove a great blessing to the public and a source of profit to any enterprising person engaging in it.

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Letter from Cayoosh.

[FROM AN OCCASIONAL CORRESPONDENT.]  
CAYOOSH, May 15, 1861.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—The news from above continues good—better than ever. The celebrated Antler Creek, first discovered late last fall, is reported to prospect at the rate of \$1000 to the ten square feet, and large nuggets from that locality have been brought to this place. The last express and pack-trains brought down about \$10,000 in dust from Cariboo, and \$15,000 more are said to be on the way. There is a great deal of snow up there yet; but some of the miners are stripping off six feet of it, and making money at that.

Cayoosh is, in my opinion, the pleasantest locality in British Columbia, the climate is delightful, being dry and healthy. The country round about is also comparatively clear of that curse of other sections—mosquitos. The town is located on a large flat or bench, some 150 feet above the level of the river, and is surrounded by high and precipitous mountains, the only opening being the deep cañon through which the river runs.

The banks of the Fraser present the most singular appearance. From the Big Cañon upward as far as I have yet been, high benches rise one above the other like immense pairs of stairs. To view these benches at a distance, one would think that they were only a few yards wide; but when you come to examine them closely many of them will be found to contain miles upon miles of the richest kind of soil, all ready for the plow to commence operations. The most of the land on the benches in the vicinity has been pre-empted, and I can count some seven or eight farms near by.

There is little doubt but that Cayoosh is destined to become a very important point, and for three reasons. In the first place, there are rich and extensive mines all around it, which will furnish work for generations yet to come. In the second place, its location at the terminus of the Harrison-Lillooet route makes it the great depot of supply for the upper country; and thirdly, and lastly, (as the parson would say,) it is far the pleasantest locality in the Colony. Of course you chaps in Victoria, like to try and frighten us with that greatest of humbugs—the Northern Coast Route; but it won't do. Cayoosh is firmly established and must go ahead.

A large number of miners continue to leave this city for Cariboo, and all seem sanguine of success. A. T. J.

The Gold Cup.

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land fenced and under cultivation, and 16 acres par-  
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FOR SALE—100 acres excellent Agricultural  
Land in Esquimalt District.

FOR LEASE—200 acres of Land in Esquimalt  
District, with good house and outhouses, garden, and  
paddock fenced.

PARTNER WANTED—On a Farm of 200  
acres, with good house and out-buildings, garden,  
and 25 acres fenced. Only a small deposit required.  
Balance can remain at a low rate of interest.  
\$10,000, in sums of not less than \$500, for Loan  
on Real Estate.  
my20 1m

J. W. TRIPP & CO.,  
Corner Government and Johnson Streets,  
JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMER  
"SANTA CRUZ," a fine selection of  
STRAWBERRY PLANTS, PLUM,  
Cherry, Pear and Apple Trees,  
—ALSO—  
A lot of Shrubbery and Rose Bushes of different  
varieties.  
my20 1m

S. M. RICHARDS'  
LIME DEPOT.

HAVING JUST OPENED AN EXTENSIVE LIME  
Depot on Humboldt street, for the sale of Lime,  
I can now supply the inhabitants of British Colum-  
bia and Vancouver Island with the best and cheapest  
Lime to be had in the market. All orders promptly  
attended to. Good wharf accommodations at the  
Kiln, Esquimalt.  
P. S. In the absence of Mr. Richards, Mr. Martin  
is authorised to act for him.  
my20 1m

FOR SALE LOW,

NAILS, SUGAR, BARLEY, OATS, HAY  
N Bran, Middlings, in lots to suit purchasers,  
wholesale and retail, by  
S. ANDERSON  
my18 1m Cor. of Broad and View Sts.

THE NORTHERN  
ASSURANCE COMPANY,

(ESTABLISHED 1836.)

For Fire and Life Assurance

AT HOME AND ABROAD.

CAPITAL £1,250,760 STERLING.

The undersigned have been appointed Agents for  
Victoria.  
JANION & GREEN.  
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M. PRAG.

Yates street,  
offers for sale, cheap.

HARDWARE,  
Agricultural Implements

Bar Iron, Steel & Iron-Mongery,  
STOVE & TINWARE  
of every description.  
Glass and Crockery Ware, Wood and Willow Ware  
&c. &c.  
my15

REMOVAL.

C. VEREYDHEN,  
Contractor and Builder,

Has removed his Office to the Brick Building  
Corner of Douglas and Fort streets, upstairs,  
AND IS PREPARED TO CONTRACT  
for or superintend the erection of Brick or  
Frame Buildings of any kind or style.  
Parties who intend to build will do well to call  
and plans will be shown for brick stores or dwellings  
which can be erected at a trifling cost over that of a  
wooden building.  
Plans and drawings of every style and specifi-  
cations made at the shortest notice.  
ap27 1m

Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters

A specific for dyspepsia, diarrhoea, dysentery,  
general debility, chills and fever, liver complaint,  
bilious remittent fevers, and the pains and weakness  
which creep upon us in old age. For these ailments  
we quickly invited a trial and a verdict.  
The trial has come off, the verdict has been rendered, and  
the Bitters are to-day the most popular remedy for  
the time they have been in existence, in this or any  
other country. It lives and continues to thrive and  
increase in popularity with marvellous rapidity, sim-  
ply because the world wants it, will have it, cannot  
do without it. The dyspeptic demands it as his only  
help, the victims of diarrhoea or dysentery believe in  
it, the bilious sufferer dare not let one bottle run  
out before he gets another. Both sexes, all ages, all  
climates, regard it as the most wonderful invigorant  
ever compounded. Hence the enormous demand.  
GEO. W. SNELL,  
512 and 514 (old No. 13) Washington street,  
ap11 1m opp. the Market, San Francisco

Victoria Races.

THE STAKES FOR THE ERECTION OF  
three Refreshment stands on Beacon Hill are  
proposed to be let by tender.  
Persons wishing to hire the same are requested by  
the stewards of the Jockey Club to communicate  
with the Honorary Secretary, by letter, on or before  
Monday, the 19th inst., stating the amount of the  
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One of the Booths is to be erected in the enclosure  
The Booths are to be removed immediately after  
termination of races on the second day.  
H. B. CAMPBELL,  
Hon'y Secretary.  
my9 1m

UNDERTAKING.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE  
Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any  
order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the  
most reasonable terms.

The Trade Supplied.

R. LEWIS,  
Corner of Government and Broughton streets,  
my3 1m Victoria.

DR. CLERJON,

FROM PARIS,  
Physician, Surgeon and Accoucheur,  
Government street, between Yates and Johnson. In  
the Yard opposite Washington Restaurant.  
Treatment of all Diseases without Mercury.  
my5-2m

M. MARTIN,

Cor. Government and Humboldt streets,  
GLOVER and PROVISION DEALER.

OFFERS FOR SALE 100 DOZEN  
Dressed BUCKKINS, cheap for cash. my2 1m

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Will leave the H. B. Co's Wharf

For New Westminster  
Every TUESDAY and FRIDAY

Mornings, at 7 o'clock.

Freight and passengers carried at the lowest rates.

Shippers are requested to send their goods to the  
H. B. Co's Wharf, (in readiness for the Otter), where  
they will be received and stored free of expense.

W. A. MOUAT,  
my10 1m Master.

BUTTER.—100 kegs of first quality Irish But-  
ter, containing 85 lbs and 40 lbs each.  
For sale by  
JANION & GREEN.  
my20 1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

St. Andrew's Society,  
VICTORIA, V. I.

INSTITUTED FEBRUARY 3d, 1860.

FOR THE RELIEF OF SCOTCHMEN  
or their descendants who may be in distress, and  
to give counsel and assistance to immigrants on their  
arrival here. Applications for pecuniary aid or ad-  
vice to be made to the Managers.

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Secretary.

Steam Engines.

TWO FIRST-RATE TWELVE-HORSE  
power Scotch Steam Engines, with Boilers, for  
sale cheap.  
E. STAMP & CO.  
Wharf street.

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STORAGE ON MODERATE TERMS,  
in our Fire-Resisting Warehouse, which is free  
from rats and damp.  
E. STAMP & CO.

Roofing Tin.

A FEW BOXES EXTRA ROOFING  
Tin for sale at \$12 50.  
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BYASS' PALE ALE!

Best cased Sherry.  
E. STAMP & CO.

BASS' ALE, IN HOGSHEADS AND

barrels. For sale by  
E. STAMP & CO.

A Bargain.

SUPERIOR FELT FOR HOUSES AND  
Conservatories.  
E. STAMP & CO.  
Wharf street.  
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CLOTHING.

Tweed Suits! Dress Suits!

FROCK COATS,

BALTIC AND WHITE SHIRTS,  
NECKTIES, &c., &c.,  
Just Received ex "St. Mark," from Liverpool, and  
for sale by  
WM. MUIR,  
my14 1m Langley street.

Victoria Jockey Club.

THE STEWARDS OF THE JOCKEY  
Club have engaged the room in the COLONIST  
Office Building, adjoining Mr. Pointer's Store, dur-  
ing the race week, for the accommodation of mem-  
bers. Strangers will be admitted on the introduc-  
tion of a member. The charge for strangers tickets  
for the week will be \$2 each.  
The entries for the races will be posted in the room  
at 8 o'clock on the evening of the 21st.  
The meeting for the election of members will be  
held on Monday the 20th, (advertised for 21st) at 2  
o'clock, P. M. precisely.

The Stewards' Ordinary will be held on Friday, the  
24th, at the Colonial Restaurant. All persons de-  
siring of dining are particularly requested to apply  
as early as possible for tickets, at the bar. No tickets  
will be issued after the evening of the 23d.  
Price of tickets, including wine, \$5 00. Dinner on  
the table at 7 o'clock.  
my16

D. Llewellyn,

NO. 36 JOHNSON STREET,

MACHINE AND SHIP SMITH, IS NOW

preparing to forge Anchors of all sizes, from  
20 lbs up to 1000 lbs weight, at San Francisco prices.  
FARMING IMPLEMENTS made and repaired at  
the shortest notice. All work warranted.  
my18 1m

Real Estate Tax Act.

THE COURT OF REVISION UNDER  
the above Act will assemble to hear complaints  
from 11 A. M. until 2 P. M. of parties appealing against  
their assessments, or who have received notice of  
their assessment being too low, in the District of  
Victoria, Esquimalt, Metehosin, Sooke, North Saan-  
ich, South Saanich, Nanaimo, Lake and Esquimalt  
Town, every day until further notice.  
GREVILLE C. MATHEW,  
Clerk of the Court.  
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SAN JUAN LIME,

And Portland Cement  
ON HAND AND FOR SALE BY

PEASE & BOYCE,

Union Wharf

MACDONALD & CO.]

Office on Yates street,

SELL CHECKS AT SIGHT ON TAL-

LANT & WILDE, Bankers, San Francisco.

Furnish Bills of Exchange in sums to suit, and at  
current rates on New York and London.

Pay highest prices for Furs and Gold Dust.  
Make advances on Gold Dust for Assay or Coinage  
in San Francisco.

Purchase Navy Bills and Bills on London.  
ma7 3m & W

EX "REVENUE" FROM GLASGOW.

20 1-4 CASES JAMES STEWART &

Co's superior Paisley Whisky,  
810 cases, 1 doz each, Jas. Stewart & Co's super-  
ior Paisley Whisky,  
50 cases Bernard & Co's Pale Brandy,  
50 cases Bernard & Co's Ginger Wine,  
50 cases Bernard & Co's Cherry Brandy,  
50 cases Bernard & Co's Gin,  
8 cases Powder Starch from the well known  
manufactory of Brown & Polson, Paisley,  
Just received, via San Francisco, and for sale by  
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.  
my7 Wharf street.

HAMS AND BACON.—20 cases of prime  
Yorkshire Hams and Bacon.  
The above are of superior quality, and  
are just received from London, via  
San Francisco.

For sale by  
JANION & GREEN.

BLANKETS.—White Blankets, 2 1/2 and 3 points

Scarlet Blankets, do do  
Blue Blankets, do do  
Now landing and for sale by  
JANION & GREEN.

PRESERVED VEGETABLES.—50 cases

Patent Preserved Potatoes, Vegetables,  
These are obtainable from their extreme  
portability, are admirably adapted  
for use in distant climates, where pack-  
ing is expensive, one case weighing  
about 100 lbs only, containing about  
1200 rations.  
For sale by  
JANION & GREEN.

BURTON ALE.—Burton Ale, in Bulk and

Bottle.  
For sale by  
JANION & GREEN.

AUSTRALIAN HOUSE,

Cor. Government and Humboldt sts.

The best Wines, Liquors, Ale, Porter and  
Cigars always on hand.

JOHN WILSON,  
Proprietor.  
my20 1m

AUCTION SALES.

Auction Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE,

THE PROPERTY

OF THE

Hudson Bay Company

AT VICTORIA,

Comprising what remains unsold of the



MISCELLANEOUS.

**Jacob Strahle & Co.'s**  
**BILLIARD TABLES.**  
Mr. Lewis Davis,  
Of the STAR and GARTER HOTEL, Government  
street, having been appointed our  
Agent for Vancouver Island, British Co-  
lumbia and the Pacific Coast,  
Orders for our celebrated Billiard Tables, with the  
new Patent Double Spring Cushion.

**IVORY-TOPPED CUES, CUE WAX,**  
**BALLS,**  
And all other Billiard fixings, if left with him,  
will be promptly attended to.  
JACOB STRAHLE & CO.  
my11 1m

**Dickson, Campbell & Co.,**  
**WHARF STREET,**  
Offer for Sale ex. Recent Arrivals.

**BURTON ALE**—Bass & Co's No. 3, Burton  
Brewery Co's No. 3, in bbls  
and 1/2 bbls; Burton Brewery  
Co's E. I. Ale in quarts and  
pints; Burton Brewery Co's  
XXX Ale in quarts and pints.

**LONDON STOUT**—Morice Cox & Co's Hoxby  
& Co's, in quarts and pints.  
**OILMANS STORES**—Geo. F. Cowards, Crose  
& Blackwell's, Robert Thins,  
and Wyatt & Co's assorted  
Invoices.

**Soda Crystals in Barrels,**  
**CANDLES**—Best English (Crystalline, Sperr,  
Stearine, etc.)

**RICE**—Patna No. 1, (reclaimed)  
**HOPS**—15 bales English.  
**POWDER**—Best Blasting.  
**FIRE BRICKS**—5,000 English,  
**ROOFING SLATES**—10,000 Counters,  
**TOBACCO**—5000 lbs Virginia Leaf.  
my6 1m

**Havana Cigars.**  
**LATEST IMPORTATION.**  
**REGALIA**—Regalia Britanica.  
General Scott do do  
La Agradecida do do  
La Maria Luisa do do  
Quitman do do  
La Victoria do do  
La Flor de Lopez Torre do do  
La Ifigenia Cubana do do  
La Verdel do do  
El Sultan do do  
La Villa de Gijon, Regalia de Londres.  
La Urania do do  
La Viuda de Garcia, Cigarras.  
For sale in lots to suit, by  
G. V. GNOLO,  
my12 1m Corner Yates and Wharf street.

**John J. Cochrane,**  
**LAND AGENT,**  
**SURVEYOR AND ARCHITECT.**

**AT THIS OFFICE MAY BE SEEN PLANS**  
of the different towns and rural districts in Van-  
couver Island and British Columbia.  
All business connected with the sale or purchase of  
Real Estate, Leasing of Property, Collection of Rents,  
&c., carefully attended to.  
**Money Loaned on Good Security.**  
Plans and Specifications of Dwelling Houses,  
Stores, &c., carefully prepared, and the Erection of  
Buildings Superintended.  
Surveys made of Town and Country Lots.  
**OFFICE**—Government street, near the Post  
Office my6

**JUST RECEIVED,**  
**EX STEAMER "PACIFIC."**  
**2500 QR. SACKS ISLAND MILLS**  
FLOUR;  
30 sacks Oats,  
50 cases Oregon Bacon, Hams and Shoulders.  
For sale by  
J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,  
my18 1f Wharf street.

**VULCAN IRON WORKS COMPANY,**  
**FIRST STREET,**  
**San Francisco, California,**  
**HAVING A LARGE STOCK OF PAT-**  
terns on hand, are prepared to execute all kinds  
**OF CASTINGS**  
for Iron Fronts, Steamboat and quartz-mill Machin-  
ery, etc.  
Proprietors of Morse's Patent Fire Grates.  
For further particulars inquire of R. Lewis, Builder,  
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who is our authorized Agent for Vancouver  
Island and British Columbia. apl4 3m

**Livery and Sale Stables,**  
**YATES STREET.**  
**BOWMAN & HALSEY**  
**INFORM THEIR FRIENDS AND THE**  
Public generally, that they are now prepared to  
offer the very best accommodations in their line to be  
had in the town.  
Saddle Horses, Buggies, etc., always ready. Horses  
kept on the most reasonable terms. All orders for  
leaving faithfully attended to.  
Victoria, Dec 11, 1893. 6m

**Victoria Coal Company.**  
**COAL AND WOOD.**  
**THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ALWAYS**  
on hand a full supply of COAL and WOOD at  
lowest market rates  
JOHN T. LITTLE & CO., Agents,  
my3 1m2p City Wharf, foot of Yates street.

**A. BUHLER**  
**HAS OPENED ON GOVERNMENT**  
street, opposite the British Colonial Office, an  
establishment for CLEANING and REPAIRING  
CLOTHING. His experience in the Quaker City for  
the last sixteen years, should be a sufficient guarantee  
for his workmanship. Call and examine sample  
work my11

**R. C. JANON,** JAXON, GREEN & CO.,  
Liverpool, Honolulu, Sandwich Islands  
**JANON & GREEN,**  
**COMMISSION MERCHANTS,**  
Foot of Johnson st., near the Bridge,  
Victoria, V. I.  
Agents for the Liverpool Board of Underwriters  
**J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,**  
**COMMISSION MERCHANTS**  
Union Wharf.  
VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND  
And Battery street, San Francisco, California.  
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**Photographic Gallery,**  
GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA,  
Pictures may be obtained in any style of the Art  
Likenesses on Patent Leather, \$1 Each.  
Children's under 5 years, \$3.  
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**FOR SALE,**  
**A FINE COLLECTION OF BEAUTI-**  
ful FLOWERS, of all descriptions, received by  
the steamer Pacific, are offered at private sale, and  
can be seen at JACOB STRAHLE, corner of Govern-  
ment and Broughton streets.  
my26 1m CHARLES DECHENT.

**S. DUCK,**  
**Wheelwright & Carriage Maker,**  
ACT. CAMERON'S, (Blacksmith),  
Corner of Market street.  
Orders punctually attended to and all work  
warranted good. 1m

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

**Washington Restaurant**  
—AND—  
**COFFEE SALOON,**  
**GOVERNMENT ST. DR. YATES AND JOHNSON**  
**MEALS FURNISHED AT ALL HOURS**  
on the shortest notice and best style.  
Board per Week, \$7.00 and upwards.  
**THE FINEST WINES, PORTER, ALE**  
—AND—  
**SEGARS,**  
my21 1m

**PARIS AND LONDON**  
**ROTISSERIE AND RESTAURANT,**  
Government street, corner Tronsee alley  
VICTORIA, V. I.  
First class Restaurant in every particular.

The Cooking Department is managed by the Pro-  
prietors, and the tables are furnished with all the  
delicacies of the season.  
A ROASTING JACK is used for roasting meat  
before the fire.  
**Private Saloons for Parties.**  
Meats, Game and Chickens roasted before the fire,  
for the convenience of Families or Messes.  
Wine, Ale and Porter to order.  
Private entrance on Tronsee alley. my19 1m

**STAR AND GARTER HOTEL!**  
**NEW BILLIARD SALOON!**  
Furnished Lodgings!

**The Star and Garter Hotel,**  
**GOVERNMENT STREET,**  
OPPOSITE "BRITISH COLONIST" OFFICE.

**THE PROPRIETOR OF THE STAR**  
AND GARTER HOTEL would respectfully in-  
form the public that his establishment is fitted up in  
the very best style.

**THE BILLIARD TABLES**  
Are the latest style.  
**THE BAR**  
Is supplied with the very best liquors; and the Sal-  
oon is furnished for the comfort and accommodation  
of the public.

**THE BED ROOMS**  
Are well fitted up and furnished with entirely new  
furniture.

The Proprietor therefore respectfully invites the  
public to visit his establishment, and he guarantees  
that no expense will be spared to promote their  
pleasures and ensure their comfort.  
L. DAVIES,  
my2 Proprietor.

**Hotel and Restaurant,**  
**MINERS' EXCHANGE,**  
Waddington Alley, bet. Johnson and Yates streets,  
VICTORIA, V. I.  
Board and Lodging (per week).....\$6 and \$7  
Board.....\$5  
Meals at all hours.....50 cents

The subscriber would notify his friends and the  
public that he has refitted and furnished the above  
Establishment, and can now offer a comfortable  
home to those visiting this Colony.  
JOSEPH M. MORRAIS,  
my1 3mdw An Old Californian.

**CAMERON'S**  
**Board and Lodging House,**  
SCOTT'S WHARF, NEW WESTMINSTER.

**R. CAMERON TAKES THIS METHOD**  
of returning his sincere thanks to the travel-  
ling public for the manner in which he has been pa-  
tronized since the opening of his house (14 months  
ago) and begs to state that he is now prepared to  
board and lodge any number of men that may please to call. I am deter-  
mined, as before, to keep the best table on the river.  
The beds in the house can not be beat for cleanliness  
and comfort, being under the management of Mr. C.  
Board and Lodging per week.....\$8 00  
Single Meals.....50  
Beds per night.....50

Parties can have their beds free by furnishing their  
own blankets. The house is pleasantly situated, being  
opposite the theatre, and on the wharf where all the  
steamers start. Here in fact the boys will find every-  
thing at a minimum. my3 3m

**Hotel International,**  
Jackson street, a few doors above Montgomery st.,  
**SAN FRANCISCO,**  
**FOSTER & COLEMAN, (SUCCESSORS)**  
to J. J. Haley, Proprietors.  
Having purchased the interest of Mr. Haley in this  
well known Hotel, the subscribers beg to say to the  
old patrons of the house and the public generally,  
that they have made many thorough and improve-  
ments, and have renovated the house throughout in the most thorough manner, and have  
added an elegant private hall for the entrance of  
ladies, and are determined that in the future the  
house shall possess a 1st class of a FIRST CLASS  
Hotel in every particular.  
Our Mr. Foster has been bookkeeper of the house  
for the past two years, and Mr. Coleman has been con-  
nected with the ocean steamers of this coast for the  
past eight years as purser, and cheerfully offers his  
services to families and others in procuring steamer  
passage, in advance of their arrival here.  
NO ADVANCE IN PRICES. Coaches of the Hotel  
always in readiness. my13 3m FOSTER & COLEMAN.

**JACOB VAN HORN'S**  
**CENTURY WHISKY.**  
Put up in extra Barrels and Half Barrels.  
**JACOB VAN HORN'S**  
**FOREST LAWN WHISKY**  
In handsome Glass Jugs, one dozen in a case.  
My two above brands of CHOICEST  
Old V. I. Whisky stand unrivalled for purity  
and high flavor, and will be found far superior to any  
heretofore shipped to California.  
Having now an Agency in San Francisco, my pure  
Whiskies will be for sale by Dealers throughout California.  
I warrant none shipped under Four Years Old.  
JACOB VAN HORN,  
my13 3m New York

**Wolfe's Celebrated**  
**SCHIEDAM AROMATIC SCHNAPPS,**  
manufactured at my old Distillery, near  
**SCHIEDAM, HOLLAND,**  
Renowned in Europe and the United States for  
nearly twenty years, for unrivalled purity, and for  
wholesome tonic properties.  
Beware of the cheap, poisonous trash put up in  
square bottles of late years, by so many liquor-mis-  
ers, to imitate my Pure Schnapps, and my bottles  
and labels.  
UDOLPHO WOLFE,  
Sole Importer and Proprietor,  
my14 6m 22, 24 and 26 Beaver street, New York.

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PRACTICAL PRINTERS, and Dealers in  
Type, Presses, Printing Materials,  
Ink, Paper, Cards, &c.,  
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**IMPORTER AND DEALER IN TYPE**  
Presses, Printing Material, Ink, Card stock, &c.,  
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**THE WELL KNOWN HOUSE OF "CHEAP**  
**JOHN," EVERYBODY'S FRIEND,** has  
opened in Yates' Building, Yates street, near corner  
of Wharf and next door to McDonald, the Banker.  
It will be well for everybody to call and see us.  
Our old customers we know will continue to patron-  
ize us, for they know that our Goods are the best and  
cheapest in the market.  
All Orders from the country promptly attended to,  
at the  
**Lowest Market Price, for Cash.**

Merchants and others will find it to their advan-  
tage to call and examine our Stock, as we are always  
well supplied with an extensive assortment of Goods,  
consisting of  
**All kinds of Clothing,**  
**IT EITHER FOR THE MINES OR BALL ROOM**  
**FURNISHING GOODS,**  
Of every Description;  
**HATS AND CAPS**  
In every Style;  
**BOOTS AND SHOES**  
From the best Makers;

**CUTLERY, PERFUMERY, ACCOR-**  
**DEONS, PLAYING CARDS, TOBAC-**  
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Our motto is "GOOD GOODS FOR LITTLE  
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Merchants.  
ap26 1m

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GOVERNMENT STREET,  
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In the vicinity of the Mills and convenient to the  
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The Mill is driven by an 80-horse power Engine,  
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Tweeds, double and single width, all wool, and de-  
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**Holloway's Ointment.**  
A Cure for Piles and Fistulas.

Inflammation of sensitive parts, piles, fistulas, and  
such like painful diseases may be prevented by the use of  
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of this Ointment, and the healing Ointment, whose action  
should, in such cases, be assisted by judicious doses  
of Pills: ere many days have elapsed the anxious pa-  
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**Coughs, Colds, and Asthma.**  
These complaints of the chest come on with alarm-  
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equal safety and certainty. Both Pills and Ointment  
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for using them.

**A Man who refused to have his Leg off.**  
"From the Kilrush Advertiser, June 2nd, 1860."  
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**Gout and Rheumatism.**  
The essence of these diseases lies in the blood, which  
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**Dropsy, Swollen Legs or Ankles.**  
The various kinds of dropsies, whether windy or  
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pend on the inflamed state of some secreting sur-  
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is inveterate, can long resist.  
However inveterate, can long resist.  
The proper flow of blood to every organ, and purify  
it, whereby they filter out everything that is morbid  
or injurious, they thoroughly regenerate every func-  
tion, yet potent as they are for good, they are power-  
less for evil. They do not contain mercury, or any  
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**Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, and Old Ulcers.**  
This invaluable Ointment was never known to fail  
in the cure of any disease, any sore, or any ulcer,  
as can be proved by innumerable testimonials from  
persons who had been discharged from Hospitals as  
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by this incomparable Ointment. For pimples, blotch-  
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Croup, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Dropsy, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Elephantiasis, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Fistulas, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Gout, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Hemorrhoids, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Indigestion, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Inflammation, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Lung Disease, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Nervous Disorders, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Rheumatism, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Scalds, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Scorbutic Humours, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Scurvy, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
Skin Diseases, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
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Ulcers, Chills, Piles, Sore-throats,  
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through them to reach and cure all complaints  
resulting from a diseased condition of the Stomach  
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